

## ASU Football Adds Three for Spring Semester

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Appalachian State University football added three student-athletes — two transfers and a true freshman — to its roster on Tuesday, the first day of ASU's spring semester. The newest Mountaineers include

NCAA Division I FBS transfers Alex Coulthard (Hamlet, N.C./Richmond County/North Carolina) and Quarterrio Morgan (Jonesboro, Ga./Mount Zion/Western Kentucky) and true freshman Tysean Holloway (Asheville, N.C./Asheville).

Coulthard has three years of athletic eligibility remaining while Morgan and Holloway will have four seasons of eligibility at Appalachian. By enrolling at ASU for the spring semester, all three can begin football-related activities immediately and participate in upcoming spring practices. Per NCAA transfer regulations, Coulthard and Morgan are eligible for game action in 2012.

### **ALEX COULTHARD (OL, 6-6, 310, So., Hamlet, N.C./Richmond Senior/North Carolina):**

Has three years of eligibility remaining after redshirting as a true freshman at North Carolina in 2010 and sitting out of football in 2011 ... does not turn 20 until September despite graduating from high school in 2010 ... helped lead Richmond Senior to the North Carolina Class 4-AA state championship as a junior in 2008 ... selected to participate in 2009 Shrine Bowl of the Carolinas after anchoring an offensive line that paved the way for a 1,600-yard passer and a 1,400-yard rusher ... first-team all-conference honoree as a senior ... coached by Paul Hoggard ... attended same high school as current ASU teammate Andy Shuler.

### **TYSEAN HOLLOWAY (RB, 6-1, 190, Fr., Asheville, N.C./Asheville): Graduated early from Asheville H.S. in December and enrolls at ASU as a true freshman this semester ...**

rated as a two-star recruit by Rivals.com ... rushed for 4,844 yards and 77 touchdowns during his three-year prep career ... named 2011 Mountain Athletic Conference Offensive Player of the Year after rushing for 1,405 yards and 24 touchdowns as a senior ... versatile athlete also caught 16 passes for 233 yards and threw for 99 yards and a score as a senior ... enjoyed his best statistical campaign as a junior in 2010 when he amassed 1,891 rushing yards and 29 touchdowns ... helped Asheville compile a sparkling 30-6-1 overall record and three state quarterfinal appearances from 2009-11 ... participated in 2011 Shrine Bowl of the Carolinas ...

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coached by Danny Watkins ... attended same high school as current ASU teammates Mark Powell and Trevor Sawyer.

**QUARTTERRIO MORGAN (RB, 5-10, 180, Fr., Jonesboro, Ga./Mount Zion/Western Kentucky):** Has four years of eligibility remaining after redshirting as a true freshman at Western Kentucky in 2011 ... rated as a three-star recruit by Rivals.com, Scout.com and ESPN.com coming out of Mount Zion H.S. in suburban Atlanta last spring ... tabbed by Scout.com as the nation's No. 83 running back and by ESPN.com as the nation's No. 103 athlete ... rushed for more than 4,200 yards and 50 touchdowns as a four-year starter at Mount Zion, including 1,200 yards and eight touchdowns as a senior and 1,470 yards and 22 touchdowns as a junior ... named first-team all-region, second-team all-state and team MVP ... coached by Jamie Aull ... also earned four letters in track and field.